

## CITED SERGEANT CHOSEN TO ACT AT ARLINGTON RITES

**M. J. Donahue, D. S. C.,  
Will Represent Enlist-  
ed Men at Burial.**

Sergeant Michael J. Donahue, late of the First Division and now drill sergeant attached to the R. O. T. C. unit at Georgetown University, is one of the proudest men in Uncle Sam's army today.

Designated officially by the War Department to take part in the ceremonies connected with the burial of an unknown American soldier at Arlington National Cemetery on Armistice Day, Sergeant Donahue is the only enlisted man in the line of duty.

As one of the honor men of the world war, chosen for his gallantry in action, Sergeant Donahue will act as the official enlisted representative of the infantry branch of the service in the capacity of an official mourner. An officer, representing the commissioned personnel of the infantry, will act with him.

**Awarded D. S. C.**  
As becomes a gallant soldier, Sergeant Donahue takes his honor modestly. When crowded by an enthusiastic bunch of cadets yesterday he modestly took shelter in the barracks room and refused even to give any details of his service record. But Maj. William H. Hobson, who counts him as the backbone of the unit, looked up in general orders the following citation in connection with the Distinguished Service Cross awarded him:

Sergeant Michael J. Donahue, Company H, Eighteenth Infantry, First Division, for extraordinary heroism in action near Extermont, France, October 4-5, 1918. On October 4, assisted by a small group of his platoon, he attacked an enemy machine-gun nest and captured it. On the following day, while attacking an enemy machine-gun nest, his platoon was repulsed with heavy casualties. Accompanied by a comrade, he advanced through heavy machine-gun fire and sought in the wounded and brought in the wounded.

He then reorganized his platoon and made a second attack on the enemy position, capturing the gun and crew.

**Wounded at Cantigny.**  
Sergeant Donahue served twenty-seven months on the other side and bears the marks of a wound received in the attack on Cantigny in which the First Division distinguished itself. He recovered in time to participate in the drive on Soissons and followed the First Division through the remainder of its battling career.

Upon his return to this country he was assigned to Camp Taylor and then detailed as instructor at Georgetown University.

Sergeant Donahue is an old timer in Uncle Sam's army, a veteran of the Spanish war, the Philippine insurrection, and saw service along the Mexican border. His home is in Springfield, Mass.

**What's Going On Today**  
Fall convocation exercises, George Washington University, Concordia Church, Twentieth and G streets northwest, 11:15 a. m.  
Lecture, "Education for a New Democracy," Dr. Emanuel Sternheim, University of the State of New York and the University of Minnesota, University Club, 8:30 p. m.  
Smoker and entertainment, Y. M. H. A., association headquarters, Eleventh street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest, 8 p. m.  
Halloween masquerade dance, Progressive Council, Daughters of America, Naval Lodge Club, Fourth street and Pennsylvania avenue southeast, 8:30 p. m.  
Meeting, Conduit Road Citizens' Association, in St. Elizabeth's Parish Hall, Conduit and Chain Bridge roads, 8 p. m.  
Meeting, civic section of the Women's Club, 22 Jackson place, 8 p. m.  
Meeting, "Education for a New Democracy," Dr. Emanuel Sternheim, University of the State of New York and the University of Minnesota, University Club, 8:30 p. m.  
Special meeting, James W. Doney Post, American Legion, 1004 E street northwest, 7:30 p. m.  
Meeting, Abraham Lincoln Council, American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic, 1731 I street northwest, 8 p. m.  
Informal dance, Mutual Relief Association of Lansburgh and Brother, Arcade ballroom, 8:30 p. m.  
Lecture, W. Jett Lauck, Penguin Club, 8 p. m.  
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# WASHINGTON SOCIETY

## Rep. Cannon Dinner Host

**Vice President and Mrs.  
Calvin Coolidge Guests  
Of Honor.**

**By EVELYN C. HUNT.**

The Vice President and Mrs. Calvin Coolidge were the guests of honor at dinner last evening of Representative Joseph G. Cannon and Miss Helen Cannon. The guests invited to meet them included the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Edwin Denby, Senator and Mrs. Frank Kellogg, Senator and Mrs. Truman A. Newberry, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harlow, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. McClintock, Mrs. Henry C. Corbin, Charles Hamlin and Merrill Moore.

Mrs. Edwin Denby, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, will go today to New York to be gone for several days.

The Ambassador of Belgium and the Baroness de Cartier will entertain at luncheon today in honor of Lieut. Gen. Baron Alfonso Jacques, who returned last evening from a visit with the Governor of Pennsylvania and Mrs. Sproul at Chester, Pa.

The Ambassador of Peru and Mme. Peset entertained a small company at luncheon at the Shoreham yesterday.

The Minister of Denmark, Constantino Bruun, was host at luncheon yesterday at the Shoreham, entertaining in compliment to the newly appointed American Minister to Denmark and Mrs. John Trine, who are stopping at the Shoreham before leaving for Dr. Prince's new post at the end of the week.

**DINNER THIS EVENING  
TO HONOR GEN. DIAZ.**

Col. Marquis di Bernese, military attaché of the Italian Embassy, and the Marquis di Bernese will give a dinner at Rauscher's this evening in honor of Gen. Diaz. The dinner will be of a military character, the guests including the Secretary of War and Mrs. Weeks, the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Wainwright, the heads of divisions of the army and of the War Department, and the military and naval attaches of the various embassies and legations and their wives.

Gen. Diaz spent yesterday quietly and dined with members of his staff at the New Willard in the evening. This morning he will go to Annapolis to spend the day, will be the guest of honor at luncheon of the superintendent of the Naval Academy and Mrs. Wilson, and will return in the late afternoon. Gen. Diaz will be accompanied by his aide, Gen. de Luca; Col. M. C. Buckley, U. S. A., honorary aide; Col. di Bernese, military attaché of the Italian Embassy; Capt. Civalieri, naval attaché of the embassy; Maj. Cocconi and Lieut. Ruspoli, aides to Gen. Diaz; Mr. Wilton and Dr. Foster, of the American Legion, and Capt. McNamee, U. S. N.

The general and his party will leave tomorrow morning in a special car for Kansas City for the convention of the American Legion, and will travel as far as San Francisco before returning to Washington for the Armistice Day celebrations.

The American consul at Malaga and Mrs. Gaston Smith, who have been spending a short vacation in Washington, sailed for Spain Tuesday morning from New York. Mrs. Smith's daughter, Miss Edwina Rennick, will remain in Washington for the autumn, as the guest of Miss Fannie Beall.

James A. Allison, of Indianapolis and Miami, Fla., arrived here yesterday and is at the Washington Hotel. He plans to leave Saturday aboard his new yacht, the Sea Horse, which recently won the regatta at Buffalo. He will go to Miami by the sea route via the Virginian and will be accompanied by his wife.

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**MRS. EUGENE VILLARED.**

Formerly Miss Abigail Holman Harvey, who will soon sail for France where she will join Maj. Eugene Villared, assistant military attaché of the American Embassy in Paris.

nied by John Oliver La Gorce and Thomas R. Shipp.

**COL. DEPONT  
HOST AT LUNCHEON.**

Col. Henry A. Dupont was a luncheon host at the Shoreham yesterday, having as his guests Mrs. Kenna Elkins, Mrs. Roscoe Carlisle Bulmer, Mrs. Alsop and her father, Mr. Jackson.

Mrs. George M. Young, wife of Representative Young of North Dakota, entertained at luncheon yesterday in her apartment at 1830 Sixteenth street, in compliment to Mrs. Robert N. Standfield, wife of Senator Standfield, of Oregon. Other guests of the occasion were Mrs. Selden P. Spencer, Mrs. Peter Norbeck, of South Dakota; Mrs. Pat Harrison, Mrs. Thomas A. Chandler, Mrs. Lemuel P. Padgett, Mrs. John M. Nelson, Mrs. Frank W. Mondell, Mrs. Margaret Cowen, Mrs. Philip D. Swing, Mrs. Leonidas C. Dyer and Mrs. Edmund Platt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Walker entertained a distinguished company at their residence at 2112 S street last evening at a musicale. Among the artists of the evening were Mme. Huggi, of Switzerland, Mrs. Ralph Barnard and Harry Stevens, all of whom sang charmingly. Mrs. Cable, wife of Representative Cable, rendered a number of selections on the piano and Mrs. Harry Stevens contributed much toward the success of the party with her various "stunts."

Mrs. George Meata will return to Washington today.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Crist will spend the week-end in New York.

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## Society to Aid Victory Ball

**Legion to Hold Benefit  
For Disabled Soldiers.**

**NEW YORK, Oct. 24.**—Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. William Knickerbocker, Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Mrs. Ruth Morgan and Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt are among the patronesses at the "American" to be presented by an all-star cast after the victory ball at the Waldorf Astoria on Armistice eve, with a number of posts of the American Legion are giving for the benefit of the disabled of the world war. An invitation to be official guests of honor have been accepted by John Emory, commander in chief of the American Legion; Secretary of War, Secretary of the Navy and others. Special invitations have been sent to Gen. John J. Pershing and Admiral Lord David Beatty, of the British navy. President Harding is honorary chairman of the victory ball and pageant committee.

Gen. Dias and his staff will be guests of honor at the bridge, vaudeville and dance to be held at the Plaza Hotel on November 2, under the auspices of the Woman's National Foundation. The benefit was originally planned for November 1, but because of the illness of Henry Darlington, of Harrisburg, Pa., will give a dinner to introduce their daughter, Miss Jane Darlington, at the Ritz Carlton Hotel December 2 before the Junior Assembly. Mrs. Darlington and her daughter will hold a reception at Harrisburg on November 26 and afterward will give a dinner, followed by a dance.

ton, N. J., and Miss Palmer, of Lakewood, N. J.

Mrs. Baker, whose father is a well-known lawyer, is a granddaughter on her mother's side of the late Senator Arthur F. B. C. of Maryland. She is a graduate of Smith College and since her debut has taken an active part in Washington society.

Mr. Baker, who is the son of Charles Baker of South Dakota, was graduated from Cornell and from the Columbia Law School. During the war, he served in the Air Service and was promoted to the rank of major. Upon his return to this country he was appointed Assistant United States Attorney for the District of Columbia.

The College Women's Club will give a costume party at the club-house, 1822 I street, Saturday evening under the direction of the library committee. J. Lewis Moneyway will give several monologues as one of the features of the program, of which Miss Edna Sheehy has charge. Two fortune tellers are on the evening's program. Mrs. Chester Morrill, assisted by Miss Elizabeth Newton and Mrs. Ruth, will preside at the refreshment table.

**MOUNT HOLYOKE ALUMNAE  
INVITED TO LUNCHEON.**

The Mount Holyoke Alumnae Association of Washington will have an informal luncheon at the Y. W. C. 614 E street northwest, Saturday, October 28, at 12:30. All Mount Holyoke women in the city are invited.

A card party is to be given at the Wardman Park Hotel at 2 p. m. Friday, November 4, under the auspices of the Dolly Madison, Sarah St. Clair, E. Pluribus Unum and Victory Chapters, D. A. R., the proceeds to be used in opening another American center.

The committee in charge consists of the State regent, Mrs. Francis A. St. Clair; Mrs. Henry B. Patten, regent of Dolly Madison Chapter; Mrs. Tonia J. Holzberg, regent of Sarah St. Clair Chapter; Mrs. Sylvanus E. Johnson, regent of E. Pluribus Unum Chapter, and Mrs. Joseph Stewart, regent of Victory Chapter.

Additional members of the committee are Mrs. Elmer E. Curry, Mrs. Charles W. Floyd, Mrs. Gurney S. Strong, Mrs. Albert S. Jones, Mrs. Richard E. Claughen, Mrs. Harry C. Grove, Mrs. David D. Caldwell and Mrs. W. C. Hanson.

The Woman's Alliance of All Souls Unitarian Church will entertain at luncheon tomorrow at Franklin Square Hotel. Mrs. Richard Fay Jackson will be toastmistress. She will have at her table Mrs. Hilding Davis, Mrs. Ridley McLean, Mrs. Mark Reid Yates, Mrs. Bernard Green and Mrs. J. C. Merriam.

**PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY  
WILL MEET NOVEMBER 1.**

"Philadelphia Night" will be celebrated by the members of the Pennsylvania State of North at the Willard Tuesday night, November 1. The meeting and reception will be in honor of James M. Beck, solicitor general of the United States, who will make the principal address. This will be the first meeting of the fall season.

R. Woodland Gates, tenor soloist, who sang at the various cantonments during the war, will render several selections. Miss Estelle Murray, soprano soloist, will also entertain. "Pennsylvania," the State song, written by Hamlin E. Cogswell, now director of music in the Washington public schools, will be sung.

The committee on introductions will be headed by Miss Stella N. Marks. Mrs. Margaret Beverley Buchanan will have charge of the boxes. The reception committee will be composed of Mrs. Edward S. Reeside, chairman; Mrs. S. A. Kendall, Mrs. A. H. Walters, Mrs. Fred Gerneid, Mrs. John A. Rose, Mrs. Wilton W. Shreve, Mrs. Joseph E. Thompson, Mrs. Joseph E. Showalter, Mrs. E. B. Crilly, Mrs. T. Lincoln Townsend, Mrs. Edwin A. Niess and Mrs. Virginia Speel.

The ballroom will be decorated with State flags and busts of Pennsylvanians. After the program there will be dancing. Admission will be by membership card or guest cards only which may be secured from the secretary, Edwin A. Niess.

The Elect Club will hold an informal dance Saturday evening in the ballroom, at 2400 Sixteenth street, N. A. Gladstone will have charge of the special features for the dance. Dancing will begin at 8 p. m.

The Louisiana Society has sent out cards for a social meeting and dance at 8 p. m. October 31, at the

## MEMORIAL STONES TO BE DECORATED BY ROTARY CLUB

**Plan to Honor 537 Dis-  
trict Heroes on Armis-  
tice Day.**

Flags and flowers will be placed on the memorial stones in front of the 537 trees on Sixteenth street, planted in honor of the dead heroes of Washington, by the Rotary Club on Armistice Day. It was voted at their weekly meeting and luncheon yesterday at the Willard Hotel. Plans for a big kiddie's Christmas party for 1,200 orphaned and poor children of Washington, with \$2,500 pledged for the work, were arranged also by the Rotary Club yesterday. A big tree in the Willard ball room will be laden with gifts and goodies for the children under the supervision of the Rotary members and their wives.

Charles Demarest, of Demarest's Confectionery Shop, told of the development of the American Boy Achievement Association, a new organization created and fostered by the Rotary Club for the benefit of Washington boys.

Miss I. Nelson, director of community work in the public schools of Washington and working in the American Boy Achievement Association, addressed the club about the work.

A resolution of acceptance and thanks was also passed for the American flag presented by the Kiwanis Club for services rendered by the club in solving the transportation problem during the Fifth District Conference to be held on March, 1922.

Washington Club, 1701 K street northwest. This is to be a special meeting in honor of the women of the society and their friends. The vice president, Miss Elaine Lasaro, will preside, and the program throughout will be conducted by the feminine members.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shea announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie Louise, to James Bowe, of New Hampshire, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Church of the Sacred Heart, by Rev. J. Eckenrode. Mr. and Mrs. Bowe left immediately after the ceremony from New York and Atlantic City on their honeymoon.

**MRS. HARDING PATRONESS  
OF MEMORIAL BALL.**